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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	Yoichiro Ohta	)
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Examiner:	Lund, Jeffrie Robert	)

**AMENDMENT F**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the final Office Action mailed December 23, 2008, please  
amend the application as follows: